

PATENT

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: :  
: SAUDER, et al. : Group Art Unit: Unknown  
: Serial No. Not yet assigned : Examiner: Unknown  
: Filed: Herewith :

Title: TAKE-UP REEL WITH UNI-DIRECTIONAL SPEED GOVERNED RETRACTOR

**COMBINED DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY**  
(Multiple Inventors)

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

**Type of Declaration**

This declaration is made in a continuation-in-part of application Serial No. 09/323,300 filed June 1, 1999.

**Inventorship and Specification Identification**

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name.

I believe that I am an original, first and joint inventor of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled TAKE-UP REEL WITH UNI-DIRECTIONAL SPEED GOVERNED RETRACTOR, the specification of which is filed herewith. I hereby claim priority of the filing date of application serial number 09/323,300 as to all subject matter that is common to this application.

**Claim of Priority**

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under 35 U.S.C. § 119 of the foreign application(s) for patent, or inventor's certificate(s), or PCT international application(s) designating at least one country other than the United States of America, listed below:

<u>Country</u> (If PCT indicate "PCT")	<u>Application No.</u>	<u>Filing Date</u>
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None

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I have also identified below any foreign application(s) for patent, or inventor's certificate(s), or any PCT international application(s) designating at least one country other than the United States of America, filed by me on the same subject matter having a filing date before that of the application of which priority is claimed (if none, write "NONE"):

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None

**Acknowledgment of Review of Papers and Duty of Candor**

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims thereof.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information that is material to the examination of this application, as well as any that occurred between the filing dates of the foregoing application serial number 09/323,300 and this application, in accordance with Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, section 1.56(a).

**Power of Attorney**

As a named inventor, I hereby appoint the following attorneys (listed in Customer No. 28529), with full power of substitution and revocation, to prosecute this application and to transact all business in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith:

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**Declaration**

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code, and that

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such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

**Signatures**

Full name of first joint inventor: • Gerald D. Sauder

Inventor's signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Country of Citizenship: U.S.A.

Residence (City & State): Chandler, Arizona

Post Office Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Full name of second joint inventor: Andre J. Baca

Inventor's signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Country of Citizenship: U.S.A.

Residence (City & State): Tempe, Arizona

Post Office Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Full name of third joint inventor: Jeff Knosalla

Inventor's signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Country of Citizenship: U.S.A.

Residence (City & State): Gilbert, Arizona

Post Office Address: \_\_\_\_\_

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## ASSIGNMENT

In consideration of my agreement with COXWELLS, INC., and for other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, I, Gerald D. Sauder, an individual residing in Chandler, Arizona, and I, Andre J. Baca, an individual residing in the Tempe, Arizona, and I, Jeff Knosalla, an individual residing in Gilbert, Arizona, hereby assign, transfer, and deliver to COXWELLS, INC., a California corporation, having a principal place of business located at 6720 South Clementine Court, Tempe, Arizona, its successors and assigns (collectively referred to herein as "ASSIGNEE") all of my right, title and interest in and to any and all subject matter of the invention(s) disclosed in the application for United States patent, Serial Number \_\_\_\_\_, titled:

### TAKE-UP REEL WITH UNI-DIRECTIONAL SPEED GOVERNED RETRACTOR

filed in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office herewith \_\_\_\_\_, and in and to the said application, all continuations, continuations in part and divisions thereof, and the exclusive right to make application for patents, reissues, renewals and extensions thereof, and in and to all patents and all Convention and Treaty rights of all kinds, in the United States of America and all other countries throughout the world, for all such subject matter. I request the applicable official having authority to issue patents or corresponding rights to issue same on the subject matter of the said invention(s) to ASSIGNEE and, if called upon by ASSIGNEE or its legal representatives, I agree to promptly sign all documents necessary to secure all such patents and rights and for issuance of same to ASSIGNEE.

I confirm that I have not made any agreement in conflict with this Assignment. I further agree that I will provide information within my knowledge or belief, and do all other relevant things that ASSIGNEE or its legal representatives deem necessary or desirable and request of me in connection with obtaining or maintaining, or in connection with any proceeding, controversy or litigation pertaining to, any such patents, or in order to perfect and/or enforce ASSIGNEE's ownership of the right, title and interest conveyed by this Assignment, or in connection with this Assignment, without payment of consideration to me beyond that called for in my written agreement with ASSIGNEE on the understanding, however, that ASSIGNEE will bear all reasonable expenses actually incurred for or in connection with such matters. This Assignment and the obligations assumed by me shall be binding on my heirs and personal representatives.

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Gerald D. Sauder

STATE OF \_\_\_\_\_:

: ss

COUNTY OF \_\_\_\_\_:

On this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2001, Gerald D. Sauder personally appeared before me, identified himself to my satisfaction, and signed the foregoing Assignment in my presence.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Notary Public

My commission expires \_\_\_\_\_

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Assignment

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Andre J. Baca

STATE OF \_\_\_\_\_:

: ss

COUNTY OF \_\_\_\_\_:

On this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2001, Andre J. Baca personally appeared before me, identified himself to my satisfaction, and signed the foregoing Assignment in my presence.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Notary Public

My commission expires \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Jeff Knosalla

STATE OF \_\_\_\_\_:

: ss

COUNTY OF \_\_\_\_\_:

On this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2001, Jeff Knosalla personally appeared before me, identified himself to my satisfaction, and signed the foregoing Assignment in my presence.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Notary Public

My commission expires \_\_\_\_\_